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Work Resumed On School After Lengthy Delays

New Job Super is Named; Occupancy Expected Next Winter

Hopes that the new Tahoe-Truckee high school plant will be ready for at least partial occupancy by the opening of the 1951 fall semester loomed brighter this week as work, long delayed, was resumed on the structure.

The delays, encountered since the start of the $750,000 project, have been traced principally to inability of the contractor, Melvin Gardner of Reno, to secure materials, E. V. O'Rourke, district superintendent, said.

This week, however, prefabricated opening sills, siding and other materials were scheduled to arrive together with a giant crane which is used to install the sections in place, Richard MacDonald, building inspector, reported yesterday in pointing out work already done and that scheduled for the immediate future.

Much of the work accomplished is not visible without close inspection but includes excavating, installation of basic plumbing and other surface details. Progress thus far has been confined chiefly to the main building which will house the class rooms, administrative offices and similar departments. Foundations are down for the school shop and gymnasium, although no part of the structure of the latter two buildings has been started.

Gardner has employed a new superintendent of construction who will assume his duties here Monday, O'Rourke learned, and it is predicted that the project will be hurried along faster than in the past, since the material problem has evidently been solved.

The governing board members as well as the administrative department have repeatedly expressed disappointment at the apparent lack of industry at the plant and have been exerting every effort to speed up the work. W. A. Loynd, president of the board, this week joined O'Rourke in voicing confidence that without further troublesome delays the building may be ready by next winter.

MAN IS ELECTED AS PREXY FOR TRUCKEE P. T. A.

At the last meeting of the Truckee Union PTA, the new officers for the coming year were elected. They include William Smisek, president; Mrs. Glenn Coffey, vice president; Mrs. Wm. Bottel, secretary; Mrs. Walter A. Loynd, treasurer; E. V. O'Rourke, parliamentarian.

After the election of officers, the annual Founders' Day program was presented, highlighted with an address by Arthur Eve, principal of the local elementary school. Refreshments, featuring a special cake, were served to close the meeting.

Clarks Are Honored Prior to Departure

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kay and Mr. and Mrs. William Bottel entertained at the home of the latter couple this week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clark, who are leaving to make their home in Reno. Clark has resigned from the local quarantine station to accept a position with the Sierra Pacific Power Company. A buffet supper was enjoyed and included the following couples and their children: Messrs. and Mesdames Lester Braasch, W. C. Gage, John Street, Art Struckman, Eugene Risden.

Boy Scouts Swim At Pool In Reno

Boy Scouts of Troop 7 journeyed to Moana pool at Reno Tuesday evening to hold a swimming meet. The meet gives the boys a chance to practice and qualify for swimming requirements in Scouting. They plan to make the trip once a month. The members attending the enjoyable session were Eddie Bottel, Donald Metteer, Aaron Thomas, Tommy Dolley, Donald Matson, Donald Sites, Ronald Price, Stanley Rasmussen, Joe Miller, Floyd Cooper.

U. S. Building Forms Available at C. of C.

Forms for contractors for authority to commence construction of buildings are available at the local chamber of commerce office, according to Mrs. George Kamp, secretary. The applications are from the U. S. Department of Commerce National Production Authority.

Utility Election Will Name Two Directors Soon

On Tuesday, May 1, an election for two directors of the Truckee Public Utility District will be held, according to Manager C. Edmunds.

A general election for directors of the district is held every two years. Directors are named for a term of four years. There being three directors, one director goes out at one two year period and two directors at the next two year period.

The directors whose terms expire this year are E. L. Loynd, chairman of the board, and B. W. Reynolds. Charles R. Heller, the other director, was elected in 1949 for the four year term. Any registered voter is eligible for nomination to director. The last day nomination papers can be filed with the clerk of the board is Thursday, March 22.

Due to the greatly increased area now within the boundaries of the district, a greater number of voters will be eligible to vote at this election than ever before. Registration for electors to vote at this election will close on March 8.

The two election precincts within the district are usually consolidated for the district's general election.

SCOUT LEADERS HOLD MEETING HERE ON FRIDAY

At a well attended meeting of the Tahoe-Truckee district of the Tahoe Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, held last Friday evening at the Truckee elementary school, seven new operating committees were activated. Clarence Beavers of Tahoe City, district chairman, made the appointments to organize a district committee for the purpose of bringing a quality program of Scouting to more boys in the Tahoe-Truckee district.

The following assignments were made:

Martin Castle, Tahoe City, to chairman, organization and extension committee; Tony Donadio, Soda Springs, to leadership training committee; Tom Borneman, Truckee, to chairman, camping and activities committee; Frank Titus, Truckee, to camping and activities committee; Albert Henry, Tahoe City, to chairman, health and safety committee; Lynn Kishbaugh, Truckee, to chairman, advancement committee; Earl Smith, Truckee, to advancement committee.

J. E. Walker, Truckee, to chairman, finance committee; L. G. Nisbet, Truckee, and John Quinn, Tahoe City, to finance committee; A. A. Carmitchel, Truckee, to chairman, church committee.

After the appointments there were separate round table meetings for the unit leaders and their committeemen. The leaders who participated were:

Cub Pack 7, Truckee: Kenneth Hedlund, Earl Smith, and John Street. Pack 27, Tahoe City, Martin Castle. Pack 31, Kings Beach: W. O. Mizner.

Scout Troop 7, Truckee: W. A. Bottel, E. K. Stice. Troop 27, Tahoe City: C. S. Martin, Ernest Pomin. Explorer Post 7, Truckee: Royal Elf, W. C. Gage.

Basketball Team Will Travel to Fallon Tonight

The Truckee American Legion basketball team travels to Fallon tonight to play the Capucci-Weaver squad and on Saturday night will play a game on their home court against an opponent as yet not selected.

Last Saturday night, the locals squeezed by the Italian Benevolent Society of Reno 45 to 43.

Truckee 20-30 Club Files Incorporation

SACRAMENTO (CNS)— Articles of incorporation had been filed here this week with Secretary of State Frank M. Jordan by the 20-30 Club of Truckee, a service organization. Directors are Robert Leamon, Omar G. Alexander, Harvey L. Hocker, John H. Street, George F. Kamp and Kenneth L. Hedlund, all of Truckee.

Large Audience Views Ski Meet At Lake Tahoe

Snow Storm Adds Hazard For Jumpers But None Hurt

TAHOE CITY— Hundreds of visitors viewed the Lake Tahoe Ski Club's FWSA championship meet here over the weekend, in spite of rain and snow which fell both Saturday and Sunday. The crowd was augmented by several members of the San Francisco SP Club excursion which spent the weekend at Truckee.

Top place winners of the meet were are follows:

Class A cross country: Bengt Nilsson, 63:38; Otto Holmner, 64:69; Eric Nyberg, 82:13; all of Alpine Club.

Class B cross country: Einar Wethal, Lake Tahoe, 58:48.4; Lief Sommerseth, Sugar Bowl, 63:55; Lars DeGeer, Lake Tahoe, 64:14.

Class A jumping: Chet Zoberski, Auburn, 217.7 points; Dave Renner, Lake Tahoe, 191.3; Ronald Mangseth, Auburn, 189.9; Bill Campbell, Truckee, 186.1.

Class B jumping: W. E. Gilbertson, 164.9; Dave Taylor, Stanford, 161.6; Gordon Wright, Alpine, 155.7.

Class C jumping: Fred Holt, Lake Tahoe, 174.7; Ned Stuart, Lake Tahoe, 173.3; Dick Ankers, Reno, 165.9.

Class D jumping: Lewis Fellows, Lake Tahoe, 205.7; Len Fuson, Lake Tahoe, 204.6; Dick Dorworth, White Hills, 195.8.

A swirling snow storm lifted long enough to allow Class A jumpers good visibility but the heavy wet snow haltered distances. The snow came again for the B, C and D leapers, providing additional hazards and while several spectacular spills were noted, no one was hurt.

MARCH OF DIMES SKI RACES HELD ON SUMMIT RUN

SODA SRRINGS— The March of Dimes ski race last Saturday found the Soda Springs hill swarming with youngsters under 16 who raced to help the good cause.

Ronnie Olson of Tunnel Six carried away the trophy in the 10 to 12 class. Delia Tschopp raced ahead in the 8 to 10 group. Jimmy Schull took the trophy for the group eight years old and younger.

So great has become the interest in this race that press wire services carried reports of the race and results.

Because of a heavy advertising schedule and late arrival of copy, the complete Summit Scene will be carried in next week's Sierra Sun.

Pythian Sisters Enjoy Party Last Thursday

A Valentine party was held after the regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters here last Thursday night. Mrs. Ruth Hesse was in charge of the entertainment and heart shaped cakes were served with coffee. Mrs. Bertha Tonini was installed as manager. Plans were also made to resume the Thimble Club for the coming season. An enjoyable evening was had by all present.

Reno High Teams Defeat Tahoe-Truckee

RENO— Reno high school's junior varsity trounced a Tahoe-Truckee high school basketball team 63-36 Tuesday after holding an easy lead throughout. High score honors went to Sorensen of Truckee team with 12 points. High for Reno was Scott with 10. Tahoe-Truckee players were Tonini, Jones, Sorensen, Alameda, Dominguez, Harried, Goicoa and Miller.

In the opener, the Reno C team ran over the T-T junior varsity 43 to 12.

CSEA Meet—

Omar Alexander attended the CSEA meeting at San Francisco last weekend, Mrs. Alexander visiting relatives in Sierraville.

Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

This week the Truckee Outing Club folded up and with its demise the community lost one of its most important organizations. That is unfortunate. The Outing Club was devoted primarily to the development and promotion of winter sports and if Truckee is to keep its position as one of the leading winter sports centers in northern California, such an organization is vital. In thinking back, we can point out many benefits the community has enjoyed through the work of the Outing Club. In arranging ski meets, participating in events in other sections and developing projects for winter sports enthusiasts who visited here all now probably seem far removed and of little consequence, but at the time they were important in the economic life of the community and we regret most sincerely that lack of interest, or at least lack of cooperation, forced disbandment of the Truckee Outing Club and we as sincerely hope that a similar group can be formed to carry on.

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Truckee may well be proud of its business section. Few towns boast such a good assortment of modern, well stocked stores with up-to-the minute merchandise and manned by progressive personnel. We suggest that you visit other small cities, comparable in size, and make comparisons in the business areas. You will find that Truckee is one of the best little cities in the country, well deserving of your support and patronage.

COMMON WORDS TO FORM BASE OF SCHOOL TESTS

Two-thousand words which, believe it or not, make up 95 per cent or more of all the words written by the average person, have been selected by the administrators of the Tahoe-Truckee school district to be offered in both the elementary and high schools for a spelling test.

It is assumed that one who can spell these words can also add "s" or "es" for the regular plural of nouns and regular third person singular verbs, or add "ing" for the regular present participle and add "ed" or "d" for the regular past participle when such additions make no change in the simple term of the word.

Some of the more difficult words in the list include amount, bathing, beautiful, become, beginning, cabbage, chocolate, clothing, company, country, dangerous, delight, dropped, earlier, entertainment, February, fifteen, freight, grandmother, grocery, holiday, interesting, lemonade, manner, medicine, neighbor, position and countless others of a far simpler construction, such as and, bag, be, can, did, ear, had and the like.

Tahoe Water, Weather Data Is Reported

TAHOE CITY— The level of Lake Tahoe on Monday stood at 6227.83 with 252 CSF of water leaving the gates of the dam at Tahoe City. Total precipitation for the past week was 2.18 inches with 5½ inches of snow bringing the total on the ground to 16 inches. High and low temperatures for the past week, beginning Feb. 5, were 5th: 40, 32; 6th: 47, 28; 7th: 49, 29; 8th: 43, 31; 9th: 49, 26; 10th: 52, 27; 11th: 41, 30; 12th: low, 21.

AT CONVENTION

Commander H. L. Owens, Adjutant William Curran and John Waggoner represented Truckee Post 439, American Legion, at a district convention in Roseville on Sunday.

Recovers from Mumps—

The entire Thomas Doherty family, now residing in Reno, are recovering from the mumps.

Hostess on Monday—

Mrs. Al Wakefield was hostess for members of a card club on Monday evening. Dessert was served following the games.

Pair Nabbed As Kidnappers By Local Officers

Air Force Man Charges He Was Abducted From Capital

Two San Jose laundry workers, George Thomas, 21, and Herman C. Millwood, 23, were returned to Sacramento this week to face charges of kidnapping a McClelland Field air force sergeant, Melvin L. Queen, who told officers he was forced to drive the two and Millwood's 11-months-old daughter to Rainbow Tavern.

The story was related to State Patrolman Roy Stallard, who took the two into custody, as follows:

Millwood, accompanied by Thomas, went to the former's home Thursday night and took Millwood's daughter and started north. At Sacramento at 1 a.m. they ran out of gas and struck up an acquaintance with Queen. Queen said they threatened him and forced him to accompany them as they drove east on Highway 40.

Near Rainbow, the car ran into a snow bank and stalled. The trio, accompanied by the infant girl, went to the tavern and Queen called the highway patrol. Stallard went to the scene and brought the group to Truckee. The child had suffered from exposure and after treatment by Dr. L. D. Nelson was taken to the Nevada County hospital. Millwood and Thomas were jailed and the investigation started. Both admitted, police said, to taking the child and the car but denied they used force on Queen.

Millwood said he had been having trouble with his wife and she had refused to let him see their daughter. Both admitted having had drinks and said they had no idea where they were headed but presumed they would wind up in San Francisco.

STORMS ADD 2.39 INCHES TO LOCAL PRECIPITATION

Storms during the past week have boosted the local precipitation to 2.39 inches, which is still 2.90 inches under normal for the month of February, the U. S. Forest Service office here reports.

While the monthly total is less than normal, the seasonal precipitation, which was mostly rain, is still 15.43 inches above normal with a total of 34.90 inches, compared with the normal figure of 19.13 inches for this time of the year.

There are 10 inches of snow on the ground here with 48 inches on Donner Summit where skiing is reported excellent.

Folk Dance Classes Suspended This Week

Carl Miescke, who has been conducting adult education classes in folk dancing at the elementary school here each Saturday night, reported that because of lack of attendance and interest, the classes are being discontinued. No plans to resume the lessons was announced for the future.

Daughter Is Born To Homewood Couple

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Philbrook are receiving congratulations on the arrival of their daughter, born at Homewood on Saturday, February 10. The little girl whose given names have not been decided on was 7½ pounds at birth. The attending physician was Dr. L. D. Nelson of Truckee.

Tahoe Youngsters Are Honorees on Birthdates

TAHOE CITY— Sandra Fellows and Bruce Scott, neighbors at Carnelian Bay, on February 8 were jointly honored at a birthday party at the Bud Scott home. Their birthdays fall on the same date. Those enjoying the dinner, climaxed by twin birthday cakes, lighted with five and six candles, were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fellows and son Lewis, the Bud Scotts and the honorees.

Truckee Out Of Placer Nevada League For '51

The directors of the Placer-Nevada Baseball League Sunday voted to grant the Truckee-Tahoe Mountaineers a year's leave of absence, thus paving the way for the local team to play independent ball this year.

R. N. Little, business manager of the local club, who represented Truckee at the meeting, explained that because of a dirth of eligible players, Truckee would be unable to provide competition but at the same time expressed hope that this year would develop enough material so that the team can again enter league competition during 1952.

Folsom withdrew from the league and the directors had applications from Ione, Jackson and Loomis, with Jackson the most likely prospect to replace Folsom.

Little said that local players this year will meet other teams throughout the area when games can be scheduled, using the material available and keeping expense down to a minimum.

INTEREST LAGS, OUTING CLUB HERE DISBANDS

A total of six turned out for the scheduled meeting of the Truckee Outing Club last Saturday evening and as a result, it was decided to discontinue the club until more interest is manifested by the community.

In making the announcement, Harvey Hocker, club secretary, said it is possible that the club may be revived but not until its needs are recognized.

MICROWAVE NET TO BE BASIS FOR PROGRAM

Explanation and demonstration of the Pacific Telephone Company's microwave radio relay stations being installed throughout Nevada and northern California, with the nearest station on Mt. Rose, will be given tonight by Robert Barrington, company official, at a joint meeting of the 20-30 and Lions Clubs tonight at Capitol Hall.

There are 17 of these stations in Nevada and northern California for the purpose of projecting transcontinental radio and telephone calls, and later television. The stations are located approximately 32 miles apart on mountain or hilltops, with the Mt. Rose station being 10,000 feet above sea level.

The buildings of the sites will house a variety of complicated equipment.

The purpose of the stations is to amplify and transmit the message to the next station on a narrow beam similar to a searchlight.

The program here will be in the form of a skit to be put on by Barrington. A. P. Leitch, Truckee manager for the company, is presenting the program.

Solon Pilots Speak Before Service Clubs

Charles Graham Jr., one of the principal owners, and Joe Gordon, manager, of the Sacramento Solon baseball team were guest speakers at a joint meeting of the Rotary and Lions Clubs here Tuesday night at Capitol Hall. Tony Donadio was the program chairman.

The two discussed the possibilities of the Solons in the approaching season and gave interesting and instructive talks on the management of a major league ball club.

During the evening, a special collection netted $50 for the March of Dimes, which was turned over to Roy Waters, local chairman for the drive.

Dolley Is Named Fire Coordinator

District State Forest Ranger Don Knowlton of Nevada City has been named county fire coordinator in the event the area is struck by a major fire. Five alternate coordinators were named, including Fire Chief N. F. Dolley of Truckee.

Several Injured By Car Mishaps During Weekend

SF Woman Is Hospitalized Following Collision With Bus

The brief snow storm over the weekend resulted in a number of motor vehicle accidents and sent several people to the hospital, the California Highway Patrol reports.

Emily Person, 24, San Francisco, was taken to a Reno hospital Sunday morning with what is believed critical back injuries resulting from a headon collision between a car and a Greyhound bus half a mile east of the state quarantine station on Highway 40.

State Patrolman William Gautsche cited the bus driver, Gordon Leo Hummel, 30, San Francisco, for being on the wrong side of the highway and passing on a curve and a crest. The mishap occurred shortly after midnight.

The driver of the car in which Miss Person was a passenger, Robert Rex McGee, 28, Santa Rosa, and two other women passengers were not seriously injured. Miss Person was thrown from the back to the front seat when the vehicles collided headon.

The bus was traveling east and was not occupied with the exception of Hummell, the driver.

William Green, 36, Marysville, was cited by State Patrolman Gautsche Sunday afternoon near Kingvale when his car got out of control and ran into the rear of one operated by William Cootes, 26, Berkeley. Mary Hewlett of Oakland and Green were injured.

An hour later near the same spot, Tavers Laird, Oakland, suffered a broken leg when he was hit by a car driven by Jonathan Woodbridge, Oakland, when Laird got out to inspect his chains on the slippery highway. Laird was taken to an Auburn hospital by the Truckee ambulance.

At 9:45 Sunday night near Kingvale, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vacarri and Ida Marty, all of San Bruno, were injured and taken to the Auburn hospital when their car skidded and crashed headon into one driven by Robert Abbott of Reno. Vacarri was cited for not having his vehicle under control.

State Patrolman Earl Crane escaped injury when his car was struck and badly damaged by one driven by Jack Paulsen of Roseville Sunday afternoon. Paulsen was cited for driving without due caution.

One of N. F. Dolley's Truckee ambulances was damaged Sunday when it was struck by a car near Gateway Park. Fosten Wilson, was driving, was not injured nor were the Japanese who occupied the other vehicle.

AAUW PLANNING ON HOBBY SHOW DURING SUMMER

A meeting was held on the evening of February 7 to plan for the Hobby Show being sponsored by the Tahoe-Sierra AAUW at the home of the chairman, Mrs. C. C. Warner in Tahoe City. The hobby show will be an exhibit of crafts, arts and other handiwork as well as all types of collections.

The show is tentatively slated for mid-July at the Tahoe Lake School, Tahoe City. The staff of the Tahoe-Truckee school district has offered its full support to encourage the event. The purpose of the show is to give members of the community the opportunity of sharing recreational interests. Particularly encouraged are entrants from the schools, from primary through high school and adult arts and crafts classes.

Although the show is still several months off, the committee is anxious to know now of possible exhibits so they may make adequate preparations. Prospective entrants may contact Mrs. Warner at Tahoe City 348.

Reservations Are Open for Wyethia Club Affair

Those planning to attend the Wyethia Women's Club annual birthday dinner March 2 may make reservations with either Mrs. Barbara Phipps or Mrs. Nadine Neugebauer, according to Mrs. Robert Gifford, chairman of the event. Reservations should be in the hands of the committee by February 27 for the dinner, which will be held in Capitol Hall.

Visit Reynolds—

Mr. and Mrs. John Breilly and sons Danny and Richard, Miss Sharon Reynolds, all of Sacramento, arrived to visit Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Reynolds on Saturday. They arrived in the evening, following a stormy trip, to celebrate Richard's first birthdate.

PROCEEDINGS of THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1951.

February 1, 1951

The regular monthly meeting of the Board convened at 10 o'clock A.M. The meeting was called to order by Chairman Henry G. Loehr, and upon roll call all the members were noted present. The minutes of January 8th were read, approved, and ordered adopted.

The minutes of January 8th were duly amended to read that the proposed agreement between the County and Western Gold, Inc. would not include that the County was to supply culverts; the said culverts (metal) were to be supplied by the said company. With this amendment, the Board unanimously adopted a resolution confirming the agreement.

The Board granted permission to C. W. Veale, Superintendent of the County Hospital, to attend the convention of the Western Hospital Association from April 30th through May 3rd, 1951, at Los Angeles, and that his expenses shall become a proper County charge.

The following transfers were approved and ordered:

$1200.00 from the Hospital maintenance budget to capital out lay budget;

$500.00 from unbudgeted reserve to care of the insane budget;

$2050 from Tahoe Forest Hospital District Interest & Sinking to General Reserve;

$14,051.34 from General fund to special road improvement fund;

$22.66 from General fund to special road improvement fund;

$1.00 from general fund to special road improvement fund;

$1.00 from Special road improvement fund to general fund;

$23,000.00 from special road improvement fund to general fund;

$11,300.00 from special road improvement fund to general reserve fund;

$4,400.00 from the general road fund to the special road improvement fund;

The Board ordered the following amounts added to the road budget:

Code 561-S $16,107.89; Code 561-M $7,747.05.

The Board ratified and approved the action of the Clerk & Auditor turning over a bookkeeping machine to the office of the Treasurer and Tax Collector, and approved the expense of placing the machine in workable condition for the forms of the said Treasurer and Tax Collector.

The regular monthly bills were presented by the County Auditor and inspected, and the following amounts were authorized to be paid from the:

GENERAL FUND, Warrants Nos. 10111 to 11550, $128,389.68

VETERANS BUILDING FUND Warrants Nos. 73 to 91, $927.92

GENERAL ROAD FUND, Warrant No. 106, $57.00

SPECIAL ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND, Warrants Nos. 831 to 952, $24,846.08

The Board ordered the County Road Commissioner to make a survey of all equipment of the roads with the help of the supervisor of each district, with the ultimate idea of disposing of all old unused equipment, said survey to be in the hands of the Board on March 1, 1951.

The Board adopted a resolution favoring the California Highway Commission's immediate development of U. S. Route No. 40 into a four lane highway.

Received and filed a letter from John F. Purdy requesting the Board to let the painting of the interior of the Court House to unemployed painters living in Nevada County.

Six bids were received by the Board for the painting of the interior of the Court House:

Name of Bidder	Amount of Bid
E. W. Peterson	$2,949.00
Moule Paint & Glass Co.	1,404.50
Capital City Painters & Decorators	1,945.00
Arnold Stunkel	2,675.00
John Bray	978.00
Hansen Paint Store	1,820.00

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Board that the bid of John Bray of $978.00 was the low bid. upon motion duly made, seconded and carried, it is ordered that the painting job be awarded to the said John Bray.

Walter P. Fleming appeared before the Board regarding his old age security check and the matter was referred to the Welfare Director.

A meeting was held before the Board with various department heads concerning the Old Age and Survivors Insurance. From the expressions of those present it appears that a majority of the County employees, approximately 350 in number, favor taking advantage of the Act. A meeting is scheduled later in the month (to be arranged by the County Clerk) when a speaker can be present and address the mass meeting of the County Employees

The County Assessor was granted permission to get various Nevada County Soil Conservation District maps.

The Board authorized the Sheriff to send a representative to the F. B. I. school which will be conducted for a month commencing February 14th.

The Board approved the monthly report of the Welfare Director. The Board also granted permission for the Welfare Director to attend a meeting of the County Welfare Directors at Sacramento on February 13th, 1951.

The Board adopted a resolution substituting the name of H. G. Loehr in place of W. E. Odell, deceased, for the purpose of signing requests for aid from Chapter 47 and Chapter 20 money.

The Board adopted a resolution authorizing and approving the addition of one permanent deputy in the office of the County Clerk and Auditor.

The Board ordered the publication of the February proceedings of the Board in The Sierra Sun at Truckee.

Adjourned until Friday, February 9th, 1951, at 10 o'clock A.M.

R. E. DEEBLE

County Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors. 1t

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FRATERNAL NOTICES

NAOMI REBEKAH LODGE NO. 2
Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at 8:00 p.m in IOOF Hall in Trucke.
ALICE McGEE, Noble Grand
LUCILE BICK, Secretary

ROTARY CLUB OF TAHOE CITY
Meets Tuesdays at 7 p.m. in Tahoe Inn, Tahoe City.
Don Snyder, President
Ken Steddom, Secretary

TRUCKEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Meets Thursday at 8 p.m. at the chamber offices. Officers and members are urged to attend.
REG SMART, President
Winifred Kamp, Secretary

TRUCKEE LODGE NO. 200 F. & A. M.
Meets the third Thursday each month, Masonic Hall
E. J. STOKES, WM
V. L. Deaton, Sec't'y

TRUCKEE POST NO. 439 AMERICAN LEGION
Meets 1st. and 3rd Tuesday each month, Veterans' Mem. Hall
H. L. Owens, Cmdr.
W. F. Curran, Adj.

TRUCKEE 20-30 CLUB NO. 344
Meets Wednesdays at 7:30 P.M. at the Cozzi's Cafe
Earl Smith, President
John Street, Secretary

Donner Lodge No. 162, I.O.O.F
Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, IOOF hall, Truckee
John Tuohey, Noble Grand
Frank A. Titus, Secretary

TRUCKEE LION CLUB
Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.
Capitol Hall
Truckee
R. C. GIFFORD, President
Earl Stice, Secretary

TRUCKEE ROTARY CLUB
Meets each Monday at 7 p.m.
Donner Lake Lodge
Jas. Sherritt, Pres.
C. A. Tollefson, Scty.

TRUCKEE AERIE NO. 1124 Fraternal Order of Eagles
Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday
Odd Fellows Hall
Carl Painter, President
John Rau, Secretary

SUMMIT LODGE NO. 54 KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS
Meets 2nd and 4th Friday in IOOF hall.
DON SITES, CC
R. P. BICK, Secty

SWANEE'S TAHOE LETTER

Tahoe City, Feb. 13

Dear Tahoeites:

What a busy weekend this has been at Tahoe; with the FWSA cross country championship races Saturday, the Snow Ball at Cal-Neva and the dance at Tahoe Inn that night, the ski jumping championships Sunday and the big Lake Tahoe Ski Club banquet at Cal-Neva Sunday night. Hundreds of visitors have been in our midst since the meet started. Despite snow and rain both days, it was a declared a most successful meet. Several inches of snow fell Saturday, giving the area that fairyland appearance so thrilling to out of towners.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Scott, Pete Huega and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fellows accompanied the eight-man Tahoe team to the FW SA junior meet at Badger Pass recently and the youngsters came off with their share of the honors. In Jr. 1 Cliff Dockham entered. In Jr. 2 Charles Smith was 6th in downhill, 2nd in slalom, 3rd in combined; Len Fuson came 4th in downhill. In Jr. 3 Lewis Fellows took 2nd in downhill, 1st in slalom, 2nd in combined and took first in the jumping event, bringing home three medals; Duane Pomin took 5th in downhill; Rex Donaldson in Jr. 4 took 4th in downhill, 3rd in slalom, 3rd in combined. In Jr. 5 Jimmie Huega won his first medal, placing 3rd in downhill. John Robinson of South Tahoe took first in the combined, taking first in downhill, second in slalom to edge young Fellows by .2 of a point. Collette Morhain in Jr. 1 placed 6th in downhill. Ray Fellows declared competition was stiff with a field of 83 competitors. Only mishap of the meet occurred when Donnie Stark broke his leg above the ankle while practicing. His folks, the Harold Starks, drove back and brought him home. The Fellows made a brief visit in San Francisco and Sacramento before returning to their home at Carnelian Bay.

Of the two-day meet here, will be able to give only a few observations. To Victor Wikander goes the credit for laying out the cross-country course which gave the spectators a more frequent view of the racers than is customary. He laid it out over a three mile course, the racers having to cover it three times. Einar Wethal of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club made the course in 58 minutes and won a beautiful trophy plus the Wikander cross-country perpetual trophy on which his name will be inscribed. This is the third year it has been awarded since its donor, the oldest skiing member of the Tahoe club who will celebrate his 70th birthday in April, presented it to the club. Wikander has also offered to share the expense of building a suitable glass case to hold the two perpetual trophies of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club, his and the one donated this year by Cal-Neva Lodge and won by Chet Zoberski of Auburn for the first time for the longest jump in competition at Olympic Hill. His best leap was 151 feet. The case will probably be kept at Tahoe Inn.

The third annual Snwo Ball was well attended at Cal-Neva, despite road conditions made hazardous by the snow storm late in the afternoon. Doug Ross, Cal-Neva's manager, told me that 325 persons were served dinner and several hundred watched the floor show who did not dine. Highlight of the evening was the appearance of movie star John Ireland who served as master of ceremonies. Ace Abbott of the Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce spoke briefly, then introduced Harry Stubley of Brockway who recounted events of his two months trip east, visiting chambers of commerce en route. Jim Jeffers of the Reno chamber spoke briefly before Ireland took over as announcer. The Lake Tahoe Junior Square Dancers gave two numbers which were pleasing to the audience. They were followed by Gerry Waters who sang That's My Desire and Mona Lisa. Then came two selections by lovely Julie Van Zandt, Universal star, who sang the lead in High and Dry. She favored with Make Believe and I'm In Love with a Wonderful Guy. Tahoe's constable Harry Johanson then

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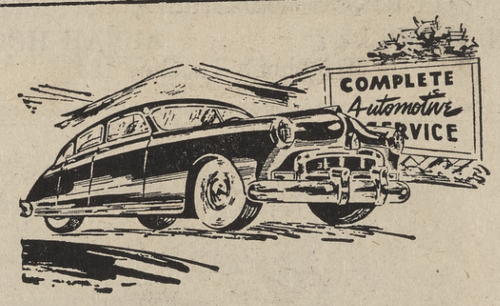

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7TH & 8TH GRADES
—by Billy McClain

The 7th and 8th grades have just finished studying Australia and are going to study China next. Glen Sadocchi and Donald Metteer made a very nice map of Australia. It is made of plaster of Paris. It has the states and capital of Australia and the high and low lands. Mr. Dewhurst, a teacher from the high school, comes down and teaches arithmetic every morning from 9 to 10. Mr. Eve is our main teacher. He teaches us all subjects except arithmetic. Mr. Eve allowed us the last ten minutes on Wednesday to pass out Valentines.

5TH & 6TH GRADES
—by Joel Towler

Last Friday the 5th and 6th grades were invited by Mr. Barrett to visit the office of the Sierra Sun to see and learn how the paper is printed. The students are planning on starting a paper of their own.

MRS. TIFFEE'S ROOM
—by Ernest Towler Jr.

The people in Mrs. Tiffee's room have been studying, along with their reading, a unit on Australia. Their next unit will be on boats and harbors.

On Thursday, Feb. 15, there will be a tea for both the parents and children in Mrs. Tiffee's class.

They had a Valentine box on Wednesday.

Errol Kehm went to Sacramento and the bay area. Shirley Cole went to Marysville and Doris Van Uden went to Downieville, Nevada City, Lake Tahoe, Virginia City and Reno.

Ronald Germain is very happy because of his father returning from the hospital.

3RD & 4TH GRADES

The 3rd and 4th grades made Valentine cupids to decorate their room. We had a Valentine box and party on Feb. 14. Larry Reid and his mother made the Valentine box.

Larry Van Uden went to Carson City and Virginia City on Sunday. Jan Jarvis was nine years old on Sunday. Natalie Crespos' birthday was last Thursday.

2ND GRADE TEA

On the afternoon of Feb. 6 the mothers of the community attended a tea in the 2nd grade room. These teas are being given to provide an opportunity to discuss the question "What are we teaching?" Problems that are directly related to each grade level are handled at these teas. Those present at the tea in Miss Oetjen's room were Mesdames E. Dugan, K. Wilson, M. A. Thornton, Harry Barnes, F. Giovannoni, E. Risden, J. Alameda, R. Harris, W. Smisek, R. Stallard, K. W. Faulkner, Dorothy Kay, J. Firpo, E. Miescke, B. Gage and Mr. Arthur Eve.

THE 1ST GRADE
—by Michael View

The 1st grade held a Valentine party in the afternoon of Feb. 14. They have a very pretty Valentine box which was made by the students with the help of their teacher. They passed out Valentines and had refreshments.

BIOGRAPHY
—by Easton Buehler

Our 8th grade student this week is Janice Buehler. She was born June 9, 1935. Her favorite sport in the summer is horseback riding; in the winter ice skating. Janice also likes to sing. Her favorite song is "The Street Song" and her favorite singer is Rise Stevens. Janice came to Truckee last July with her family.

PERSONAL NOTES
—by Roberta Peden

Eugene Carrillo went to Sacramento Friday and returned on Sunday morning.....Judy Loynd went to Portola during the weekend.....Mary Ann Tonini went skiing at Granlibakken ski resort Sunday.....Roberta Peden went to Reno Saturday.....Donald Metteer went to Marysville over the week end.....Billy Thornton went to Fallon, Nev., on Monday.....Judy Giovannoni went to Sacramento .....David Germain was in Reno Saturday.

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FLORISTON

by C. A. FELESINA

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Culp have announced the marriage on February 10 of their son, Bud, to Miss Marjorie Ritz of Reno. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nebes of Reno, brother-in-law and sister of the groom. Miss Marjorie Culp, another sister, was also present. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Culp and Mr. and Mrs. Nebes motored to Sonora to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Culp. On their return the young couple expect to reside in Reno.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hafford of Reno were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smitts. Hafford formerly lived in Floriston in the house now occupied by the Smitts.

Recent guests at the Lyle Ingalls home were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Boesen of Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Marble are the proud grandparents of a son born to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Oppio of Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Felesina are spending a few days in Sparks looking after their interests there.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Smitts spent a couple of days last week in Sparks at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hammersmith.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Liesure recently enjoyed a visit from his mother and sister, Mrs. Claude Liesure and Mrs. Carl Irvin of New Castle, Ind. Mrs. Irvin is the author of the book "River Mist", a book of poems.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Miller were F. Ball Miller of Omo Ranch and Mrs. Auerlia Laramee of Reno.

In town last week visiting former neighbors and friends was Robert Hill, former local resident and now in the Marine Corps.

Mrs. Wesley Craig recently attended a reunion of her graduating class from Franklin Hospital in San Francisco.

TAHOE YOUTH TO ENTER NATIONAL SKI MEET

TAHOE CITY— Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fellows, son Lewis and daughter Sandra left Monday for Steamboat Springs, Colo., where Lewis will enter the national junior ski meet there February 24 and 25. He is 13.

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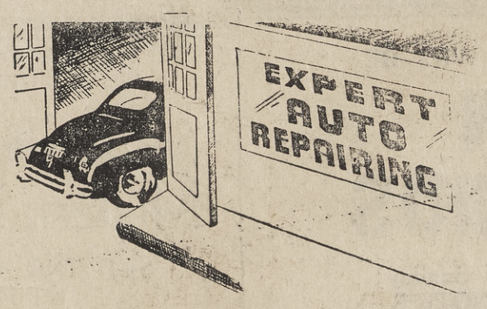

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North Tahoe

by T. BURROUGHS

The third annual ski ball, sponsored by the Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce and Cal-Neva, took place at Cal-Neva Lodge on Saturday night and can be called quite a success. Out of the 12 queen contestants accepted, ten were able to attend, giving a good account of themselves when called upon to appear. Those answering the roll call were Bonnie Carlos of Lassen Junior College Ski Club, Susanville; Joan Metzger, Reno Ski Club; Karin Lie of Norway, representing International House, Berkeley; Claire Brullard, Bijou Ski Club; Mari Lou Ferguson, Squaw Valley; Patti Scott, Lake Tahoe Ski Club; Phyllis Tonzi, Nebelhorn Ski Club; Margaret Osburn, Truckee Outing Club; Pat Vanderberg, Echo Chalet Ski Club; Jeanne Rood, North Tahoe Community and Sports Club. The two who could not get here because of the snow storm were June Hoffman, Eidelweiss Ski Club, and Patty Scrugham. Winning of the crown of Snow Queen for 1951 was Joan Metzger of Reno, who modestly accepted this honor midst much cheering.

Gifts were made available for the queen and contestants as follows: Queen's outfit: ski suit: Joseph Magnin's, Reno; boots, Harold's Club, Reno; ski sweater, Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce; skis, Tahoe Sportsman, Kings Beach; ski poles, Snyder Lumber Co., Lake Forest; ski accessories, Tahoe Sports Center and Village Store, Lake Tahoe; and Bijou Park Skiway, Bijou. Jackets to contestants: Cal-Vada Lodge, Crystal Bay; The Sportsman, Reno; Gold Crest, Kings Beach; Ludlow's Cottages, Tahoe Vista; Snyder Lumber, Lake Forest; The Burroughs Resort, Tahoe Vista; and three from the Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Leon Barker flew up from San Francisco, where she has been for the past two or three weeks assisting her former employers with the intricate installation of an automatic bookkeeping system, last Saturday. It will require another month of her time so on Sunday the return trip was made, also by plane.

North Tahoe Community and Sports Club Inc. board of directors met at the Leon Barker home on Thursday night of last week to work out new by-laws, which were completed and are ready for presentation at the next regular meeting. Those present were John Dixon, president; Leon Barker, Dorothy O'Brien, P. M. Burroughs and Harry Stubley.

We're sorry that Gladys Bryant, Kings Beach school teacher, has been very ill but are happy she is on the road to recovery after a severe attack of flu. Audrey Welch is looking after her at the Kay Wing home.

Out of 69 pupils enrolled in the Kings Beach elementary school 29 were reported absent on Monday because of colds.

Nice to know that Carmel Throop is recovering satisfactorily after removal of her tonsils a couple of weeks ago.

Mrs. Margaret Guamer, mother of H. E. Brooks, has just completed a two weeks stay in a Reno hospital where she underwent xray and general observation. She is that gallant little lady of 82 years who came here a year or so ago to be near her son and has lived indepdently alone little cottage until recently when Pappy insisted she come to live with the rest of her family.

Steve Port Jr., who entered Uncle Sam's service late last year, has been chosen for special training. He is now enrolled in school in the east and very happy about it.

Mrs. Durwood Ford came back hom from her short vacation in Los Angeles with Clarence Schrader who went down last midweek on business. The Schraders and Fords are formerly from southern California.

The Clarence Schraders honored Lou Boyce with a birthday party last Saturday night. Those helping Lou to celebrate were members of the Tahoe Twirlers dance club: Virginia and Ed McCoy, Fritzi and Roy Porath, Emil and Margaret Recorden, Audrey

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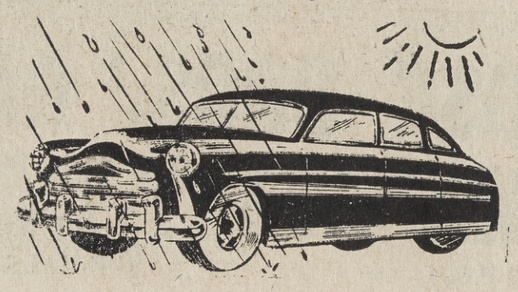

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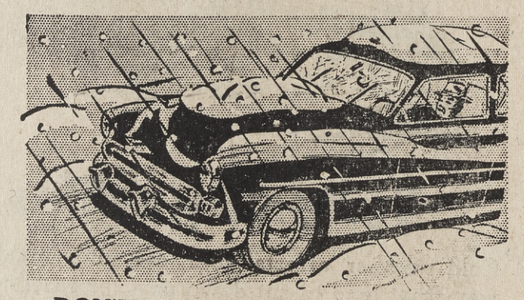

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presented his five beautiful white Samoyede sled dogs which he harnessed to a sled on stage, showing the difference between the way the Eskimo and the white man arranges the harness and the advantage of the white man's way. Next came a dancing contest in which prizes were bottles of champagne. A representative of the Arthur Murray Studios selected contestants from the audience and there followed an hilarious half hour of sambas, tangos, rhumbas and what have you. Next came Stanley Jones, the musical ranger who divides his time between working for the government and vacationing at his cabin at the lake. He wrote Ghost Riders and There's Nobody Here but Me, to mention only two of his numerous creations. He sang both of them and the Cattle Call, accompanying himself on a guitar.

Then came the big moment of the evening when the ski queen wsa to be chosen. Judges were Ireland, his wife, Joanne Dru, Universal star Adele Mara, Director Dick Baer and Scott Brady. The queen candidates were Squaw Valley's Marilou Ferguson, Lake Tahoe Ski Culb's Patti Scott, Nebelhorn Ski Club's Phyllis Tonzi, North Tahoe Community Sports Club's Jeanne Rood, Reno Ski Club's Joan Metzger, Echo Chalet Ski Club's Pat Vanderberg, Karien Lie of Norway via International House at Berkeley, Lassen JC Ski Club's Bonnie Carlos, Margaret Osburn of Truckee and Claire Brullard of Bijou. The orginal judges were deadlocked and a sixth, Carl Post of Reno, was called in and the crown when to Miss Metzger. The queen received a complete ski outfit and each contestant was awarded a beautiful ski jacket. Dick Woodward's orchestra furnished dance music and accompanied the singers.

At Tahoe City, a large crowd was on hand for the contestant's dance at Tahoe Inn where the orchestra was kept busy until the wee hours. Winners of the cross country events were given their awards during the evening by Bill Jenkinson, president of LTSC.

Sunday a good crowd made its way to Olympic Hill and Granlibakken to witness the jumping events. Bill Berry of Reno, winter sports writer of the Sierra, manned the microphone and between events pointed out notable visitors and former champions, giving highlights of their histories. The judges were Roy Mikkelson and Dave Gordon of Auburn and Carl Bechdolt Jr. of Tahoe City.

During the meet came a call to duty for Tahoe City volunteer firemen who skied and ran down the hill when they learned that the community building in town was on fire. Prompt action limited damage to a nominal figure, the only damage being upstairs where visiting competitors were being billeted during their stay.

Sunday night members of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club held their annual banquet at Cal-Neva with several hundred being present. A free cocktail hour, sponsored by the management, was held before the repast. President Bill Jenkinson presented the trophies and a tape recording was made by Dave Storz of Crystal Bay for the Lake Tahoe Chamber of Commerce.

Had another letter from Mrs. Theodore Schlueter, who is still residing in Oakland with her husband. It has been eight weeks since the operation and while Theodore sleeps and eats well, his recuperation is slow. Fern takes him riding on warm days and he feels fine as long as he does not exert himself. His many friends are wishing him the best of luck and complete recovery.

Ringing off, hope to hear from some of our boys and girls in the services soon. Hope too all are safe and in good health. Good luck, good health and happy landings to all, as ever, Swanee.

UP FOR WEEKEND

Up for the weekend from Sutter were Mr. and Mrs. Imon Mitchell who opened their home at Sunnyside. Accompanying them were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hommerbocker of Marysville and Dannie Franco of Sacramento. With Eleanor Swanson, all were Cal-Neva dinner guests Saturday night.

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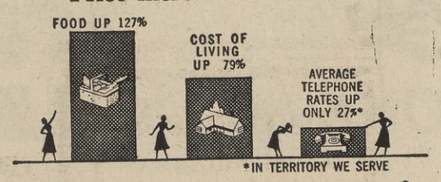

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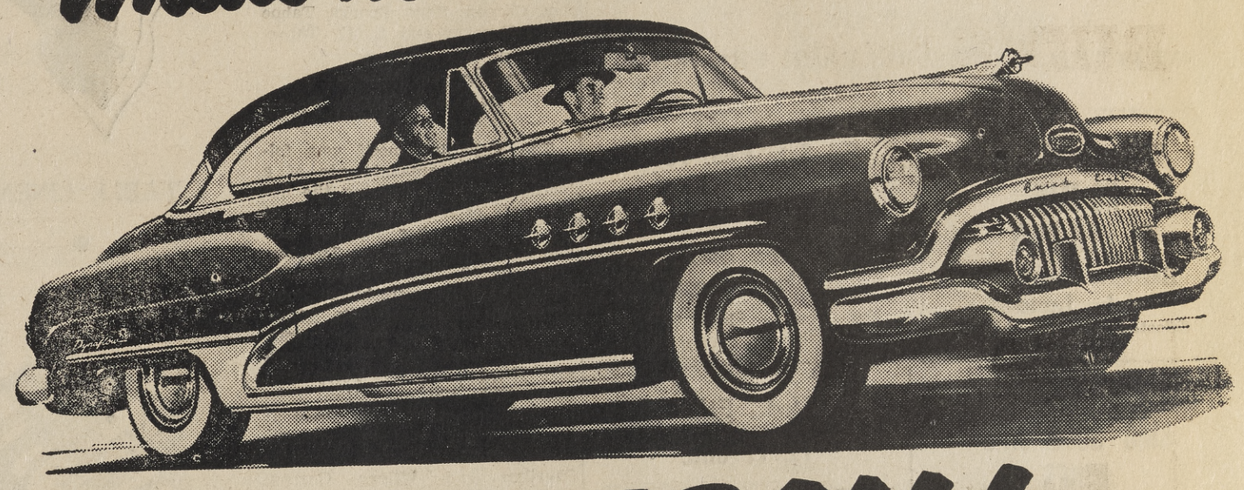

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Claude Herrolds Parents Of Son on February 6th

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Herrold of Alta became the proud parents of a boy on Tuesday, February 6, at Auburn. Ernest Frank tipped the scales at 7½ pounds upon arrival. The Herrolds also have a daughter. Herrold is well known in this area where he is supervisor for the CAA.

To Roseville—
Mrs. John M. Rablin was in Rosevile on business this week.

11th Birthdate—
George Harrison Woodward Jr. observed his 11th birthdate Monday, February 12, with a family party at the home of his grandparents in Colfax.

Feted on Birthdate—
Mrs. Harold Langille was feted at a family party given Tuesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leamon on her birthdate. On February 8, when the Eightsome met in the home of Mrs. Robert Bick, Mrs. Langille was also presented with a decorated cake in honor of her natal day.

St. Valentine Natal Day—
Mrs. Cecil Edmunds, Mrs. Anton Mahne and George Andrich are three local people who observed their birthdates on St. Valentine's Day, February 14.

Chaplins in Nebraska—
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chaplin, former Truckee couple, have recently moved from Portland, Ore., to their former home at Cowles, Nebraska.

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and Hilliard Holmes, Mickey and Bud Mandeville, Era and Mel Miller, May and Bob Critchley, and, of course, Dick Boyce.

Last Friday, Jimmy Boyce celebrated his birthdate with a party in his home where little Chery and Karen Critchley, Jimmie and Billie Schrader, Gwen and Tim Misner and Shery Thatcher shared a good time with him.

Last Saturday all the high schools of northern California had the opportunity of participating in the choral carnival sponsored by the College of the Pacific at Stockton. Toni Street and Mary Boyce were chosen to represent Tahoe-Truckee high school. Singing six numbers, the girls were credits to our section of the country. Recordings were made so those who wish may have a permanent record of the entertainment.

Brockway Rotary ladies night will be held at Cal-Vada Monday, Feb. 19, with seven neighboring clubs invited to attend. Jordan Crouch of the First National Bank of Reno will be the guest speaker and there will be community singing and dancing. The other clubs invited include Minden, Carson, Reno, Sparks, Tahoe City, Truckee and South Tahoe.

Karen Smart Marks Birthdate With Party

The Valentine motif was followed in the appointments of a birthday party observing the 6th birthdate of Karen Smart held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reg Smart, on Tuesday, February 13. Two birthday cakes were cut at the refreshment hour. After the opening of gifts, games were played by the young guests.

Those attending were Donna and Ginger Barnes, Terry and Kittie Ellis, Shirley Patton; Bobbie, Dickie and Johnny Preston; Bonnie Fair; Kathryn, Sheila, Phyllis and Patricia Barrett; Sherilyn and Wilana Curran, Reggie and Brian Smart and the honoree. The paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Smart of Oakland, arrived for a visit the same afternoon.

Kydds to Lake Tahoe—
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kydd are moving this week to Lake Tahoe and Mr. and Mrs. John Goldsmith and family expect to occupy their house in Meadow Lake Park.

PTA Officials—
Mrs. Jack Mel and Mrs. Gladys Browning, officials of the 3rd district PTA, from Sacramento were guests at the PTA meetings in Truckee Monday evening.

Dual Birthdate—
Gary and Joanne Costa, who were four and three years old respectively on February 11, were feted at a family party given by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Costa. Mrs. Vesta Mellon, their maternal grandmother, was an out-of-town visitor from Millbrae.

In Oceanside—
A card last week from Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tollefson reported them enjoying a vacation at Oceanside.

Roses in City—
Mr. and Mrs. David Rose have been San Fancisco and Nevada City visitors during the week.

In South—
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston of El Campo, Homewood, are spending the winter in southern California, taking in the sunshine in Los Angeles and Palm Springs.

Business Visitors at Bay—
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Langille returned from a trip to San Francisco on Sunday.

Weekend in City—
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Preston and sons were San Francisco visitors last weekend.

Visiting Here—
Mrs. Harriett Leitch, who is a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Leitch, plans to return to Sacramento this weekend with Col. and Mrs. Kenneth Leitch.

County Supervisors OK Four-Lane "40"

NEVADA CITY— The Nevada County supervisors have joined with Placer County officials in a resolution urging that Highway 40 over Donner Summit be made a four-lane route and approved as a principal military highway.

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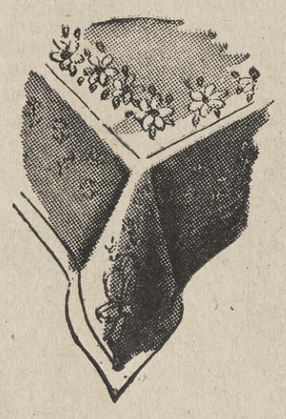

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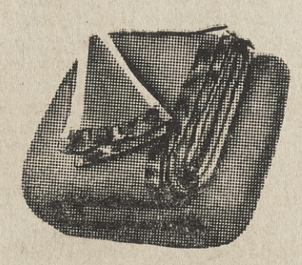

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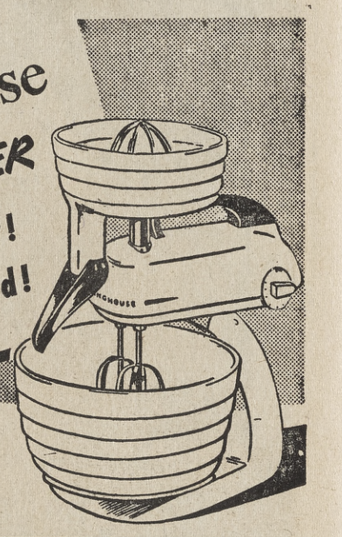

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RECIPE OF THE WEEK
By Mary Lee Taylor

Cherry Cream Pie
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No. 2 can pitted cherries
1 package vanilla pudding powder
½ cup sugar
2 eggs, *separated*
¼ cup Sego Milk
¾ cup water
1½ teaspoons vanilla

Drain cherries well. Put pudding powder and ¼ cup sugar into saucepan. Stir in mixture of slightly beaten egg yolks, milk and water. Bring to a boil over low heat, stirring all the time. Cook and stir 30 seconds. Stir in vanilla. Cover and cool thoroughly. Then fold in well-drained cherries. Put into cold 9-in. baked pastry shell made with pie crust mix. Beat egg whites stiff; slowly beat in ¼ cup sugar. Put on custard, spreading to edge of crust to seal in filling. Bake in slow oven (325) 15 min., or until light brown. Cool before serving.

You Will Need:
Sego Milk, Canned Cherries, Vanilla Pudding Powder, Pie Crust Mix.

YACHT CLUB RED, TART CHERRIES FOR PIES ..... 1 lb. 3 oz. 32c
ROYAL VANILLA-FLAVOR PUDDING ..... 3 oz. pkg. 10c
BETTY CROCKER or PILLSBURY PIE CRUST MIX ..... 9 oz. 21c
SEGO MILK ..... 2 tall cans 30c
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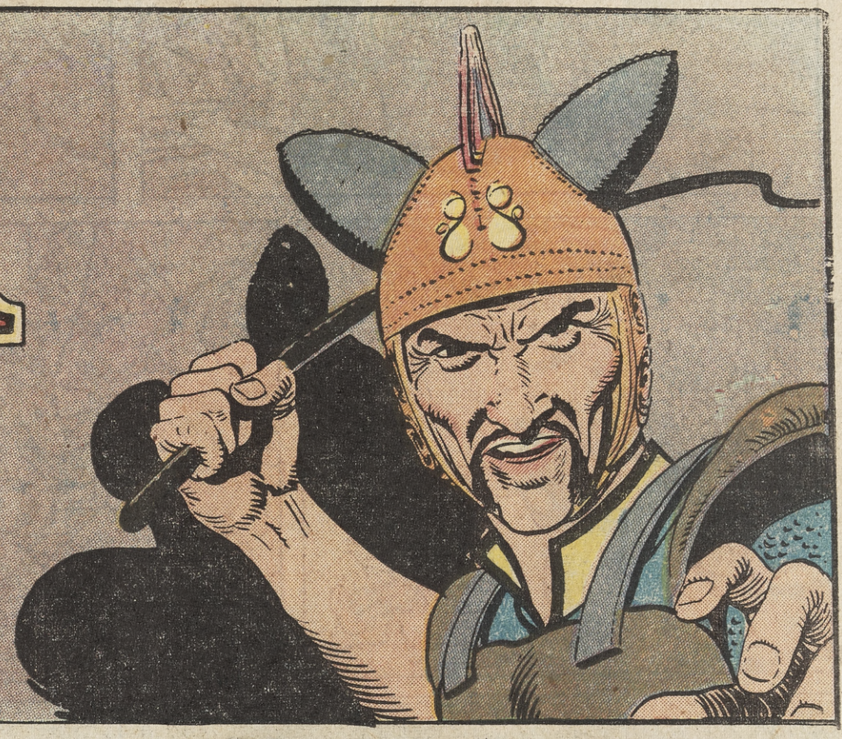
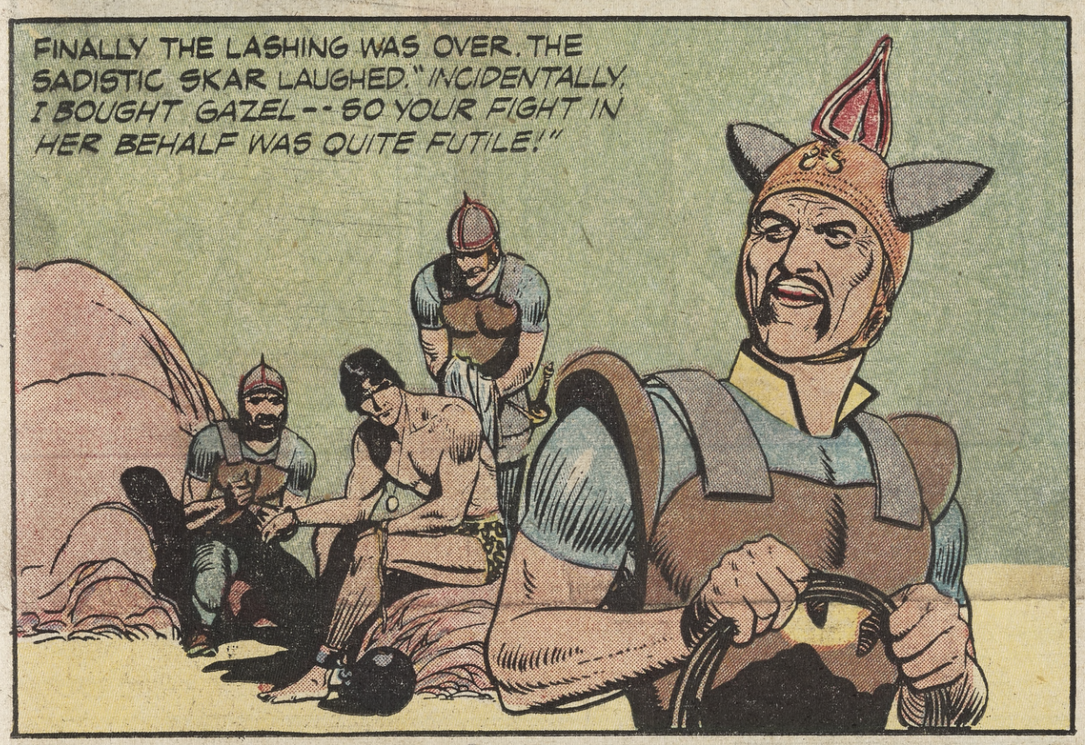
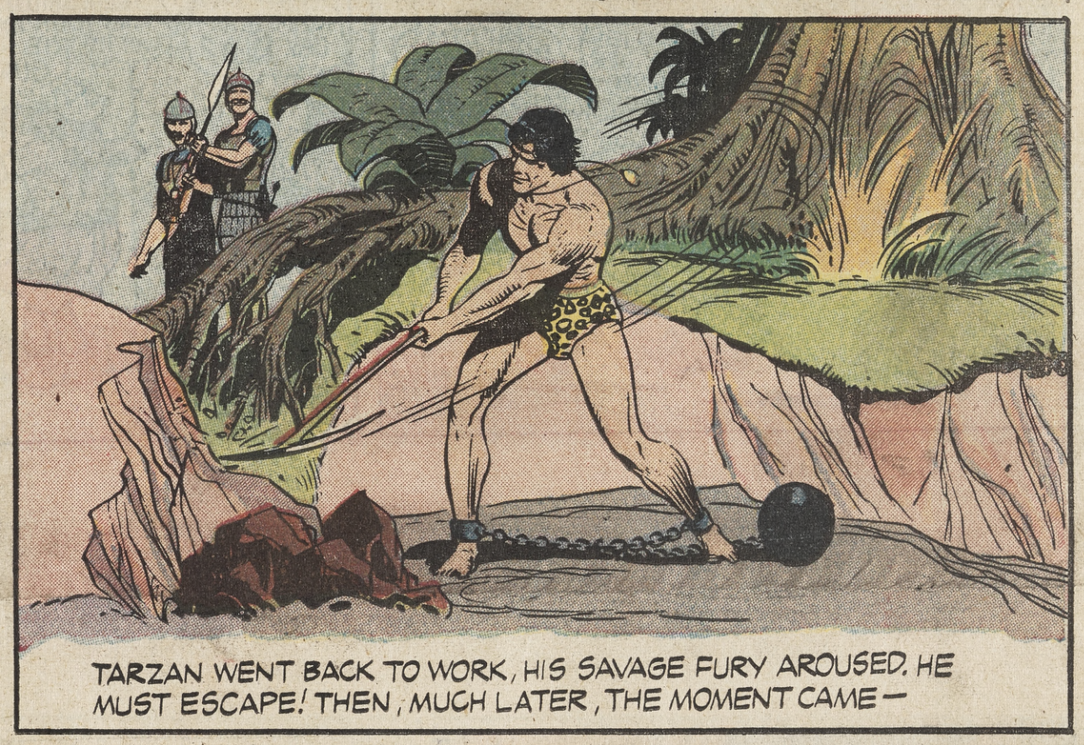
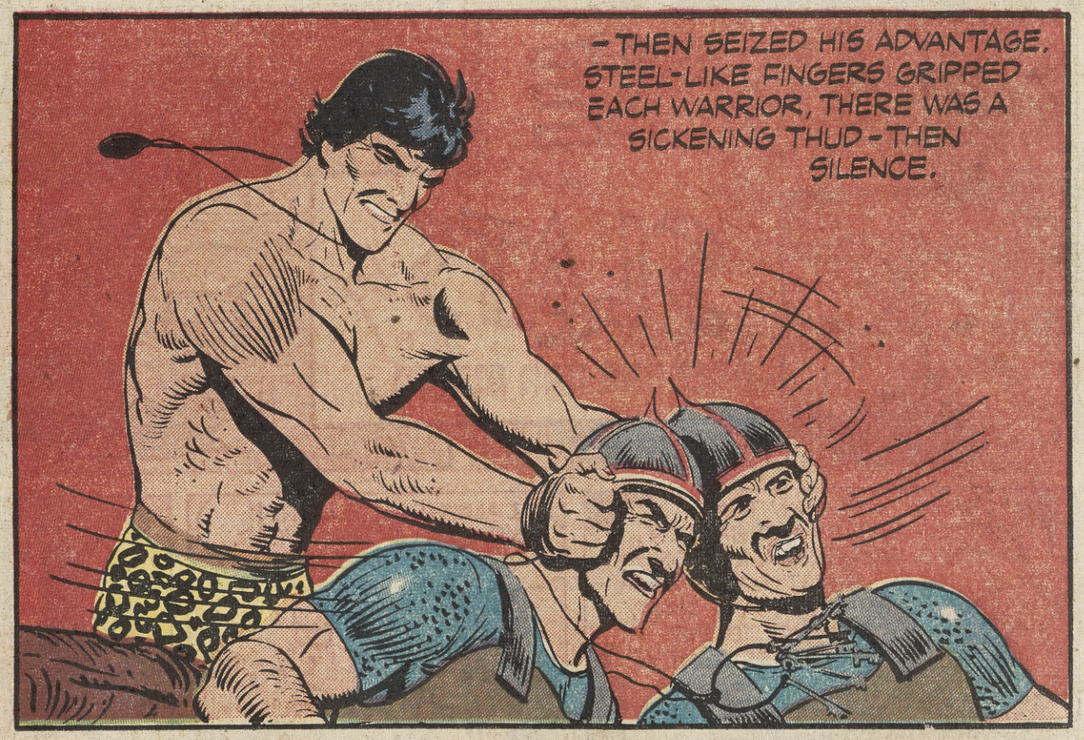
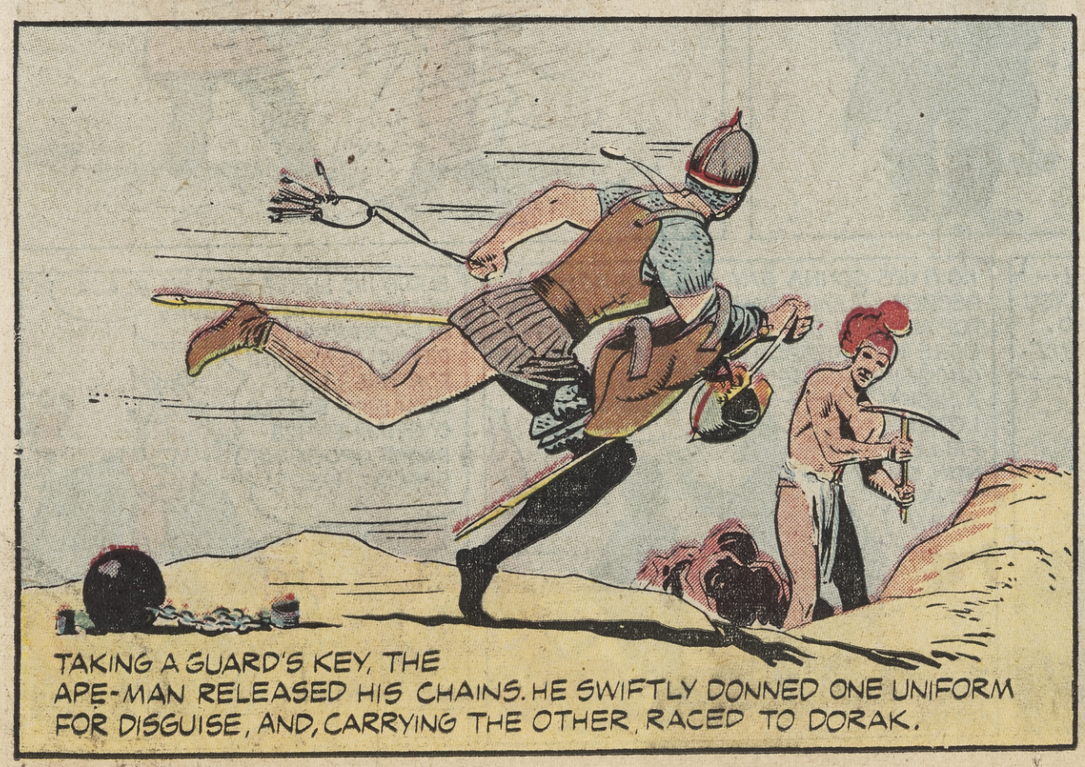
THE MORNING AFTER TARZAN AND DORAK PLANNED THEIR ESCAPE, THE QUARRY MASTER CARRIED OUT HIS THREAT TO BEAT THE APE-MAN.

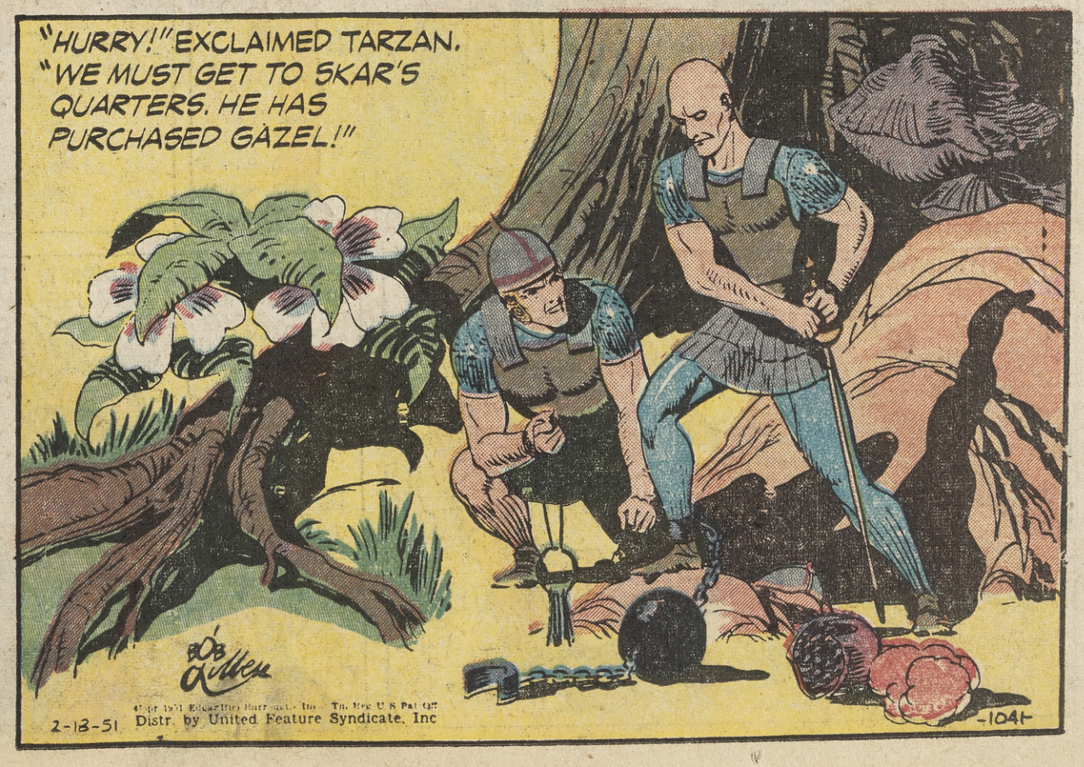



FINALLY THE LASHING WAS OVER. THE SADISTIC SKAR LAUGHED. "INCIDENTALLY, I BOUGHT GAZEL -- SO YOUR FIGHT IN HER BEHALF WAS QUITE FUTILE!"






TAKING A GUARD'S KEY, THE APE-MAN RELEASED HIS CHAINS. HE SWIFTLY DONNED ONE UNIFORM FOR DISGUISE, AND, CARRYING THE OTHER, RACED TO DORAK.


"HURRY!" EXCLAIMED TARZAN. "WE MUST GET TO SKAR'S QUARTERS. HE HAS PURCHASED GAZEL!"
BOB Quillen
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BY R. DIRKS

SUPPOSE YOU VOS A ANIMAL, VOULD YOU LIKE TO BE CAGED IN?

NO, SIR, VE VOULDN'T

DOT VOULD BE DER BEST PLACE FOR DEM

MY CANARY! MY GOLD FISH!

DER CAPTAIN GOT RIGHT, WHO VANTS TO BE SVIMMING ALL DER LIFE COOPED UP IN A FISH BOWL?

-OR FLY--ING INSIDE OF A CAGE

PREEE

WOW - LOOK, DEY TOOK YOUR ADWICE!

BUT, MAMA, DER CAPTAIN SAID -

LUNKERS! NEFFER MIND VOT DER CAP--TAIN SAID

BOO-HOO DEY LOOSENED MY GOLD FISHES UND MY CANARY OUDT

BUT I SAID VILDLIFE ANIMALS, VEASELS, NOT GOLD FISH UND CANARIES

I GET DER IDEA, SISTER ANN, COME ON

DER NEXT TIME BE MORE SPECIFIC

GREAT SCOTT, MY ZOO! WOT HO, THE GUARD!

OH-OH-OH!

YOU SAY DER ROYAL ZOO ISS OUDT, MISTER?

YASSUH, MA'AM, SOME--ONE DONE GONE TURNED IT LOOSE

YOU CAN SAY DOT AGAIN

GOLLY, INSPECTOR, YOU TINK IT'S POSSIBLE DER KIDS DONE IT?

MIT DEM HYENAS, DER POSSIBILITIES ISS MITOUDT END

NOT REALLY- DEY DID?

YEAH, SAID IT WAS YOUR IDEA! WOT HO, THE GUARD

ISS IT TRUE, YOUR MACHESTY, DOT DER ZOO ISS EMPTY?

WELL, NOT EXACTLY, I'VE JUST STARTED A NEW COLLECTION AS YOU SEE.

ROYAL ZOO

DON'T FEED THE ANIMALS

EFFERY TIME VE DO A GOOD DEED GIFFS TROUBLE! YOU KNOW SUMTING, NAPOLEUM, VE ISS TOO YOUNG

SO VOT? RELAX, IN DER MORNING VE STUFF GOOD DER PANTS UND FACE DER MOOSIC, - PLEASANT DREAMS, DOLLINK

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THIS ONE WILL CUT THROUGH CEMENT !!

THIS'LL NOT ONLY TEACH THAT UNSANITARY OLD BABOON, BATHLESS GROGGINS, A LESSON--- BUT IT'LL GIVE ME A HEADSTART ON MY WAY TO THE **PRESIDENCY!**

I ALWAYS SAID OWNIN' **TWO** SUITS O' UNDERWEAR WAS A BLARSTED WASTE -

BUT THAT WAS BEFORE I KNOWS THAT YOUNG TREES IS GOTTA BE KEPT **WARM** SAME AS PEOPLE!

THAT OLD BUM LOVES THIS TREE LIKE A SON---I CAN (CHUCKLE) JUST SEE HIS UGLY FACE WHEN HE SEES IT **CHOPPED DOWN---**

CAUGHT IN THE **ACT**, YOU BLARSTED YOUNG FIEND -

I (OUCH!) DID IT WITH MY (HELP!) LITTLE **AXE** JUST LIKE GEORGE WASHINGTON!

AND **HIS** OLD MAN DIDN'T RAISE A FINGER BECAUSE HE TOLD THE TRUTH - SO **I** TOLD THE **TRUTH---**

EH--- SO YOU DID, SONNY--

NO ONE'S GONNA SAY GEORGE WASHINGTON'S POP ADMIRED THE TRUTH MORE 'N J. PIERPONT GROGGINS--- HERE'S A NICKEL, LITTLE FELLER--- NOW, ON YOUR WAY !!

YOU MEAN (CHOKE) YOU AIN'T GONNA PIN MY NASTY LITTLE EARS BACK?

BLESS HIS LITTLE SPOILED, BLACK HEART---SAVIN' ME HOURS O' BACKBREAKIN' DIGGIN', SEARCHIN' FOR THIS LAST REMAININ' BOTTLE O' GENUINE "125 PROOF GROGGINS SPECIAL 1935"!

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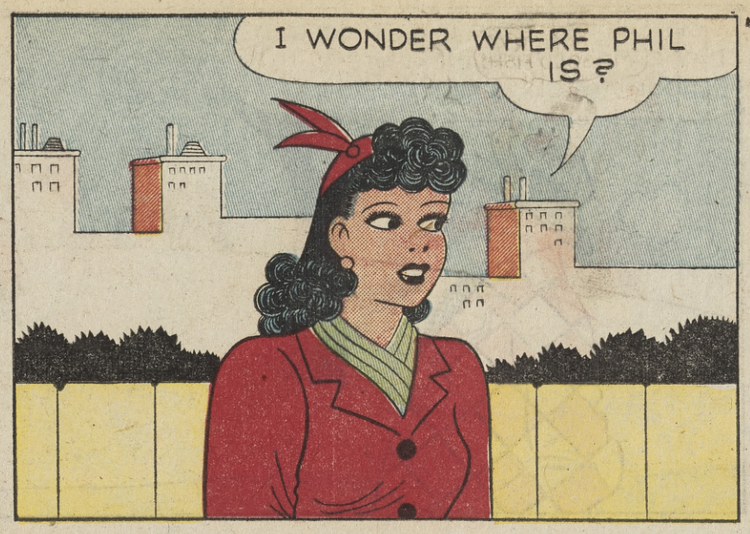

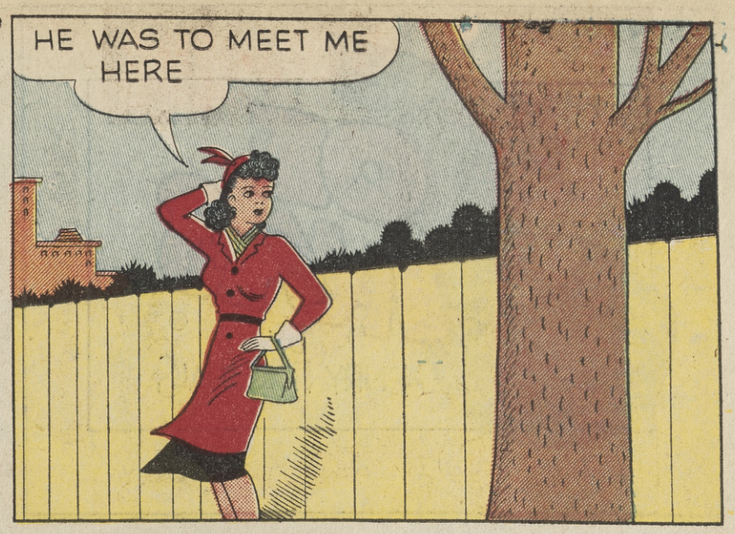

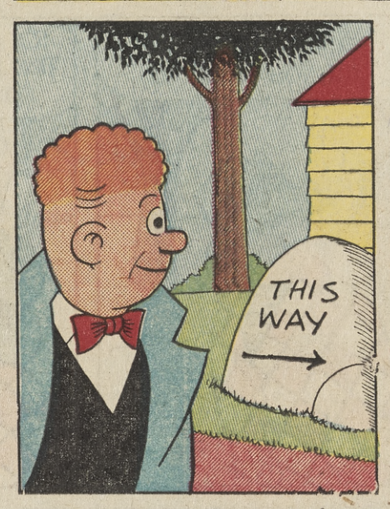

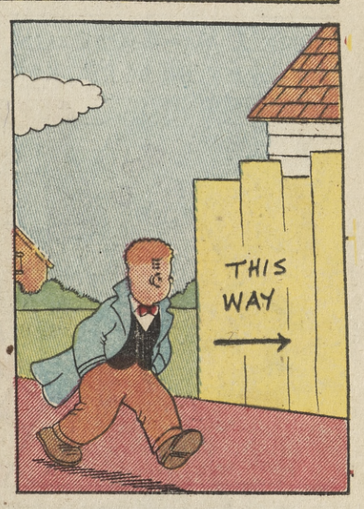

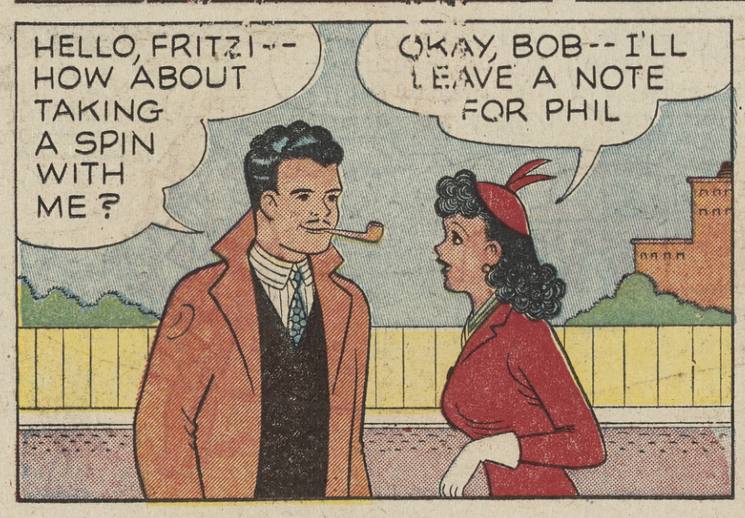

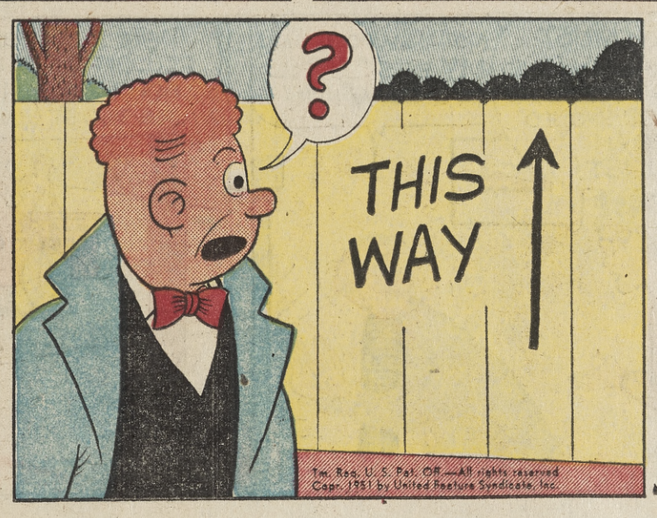

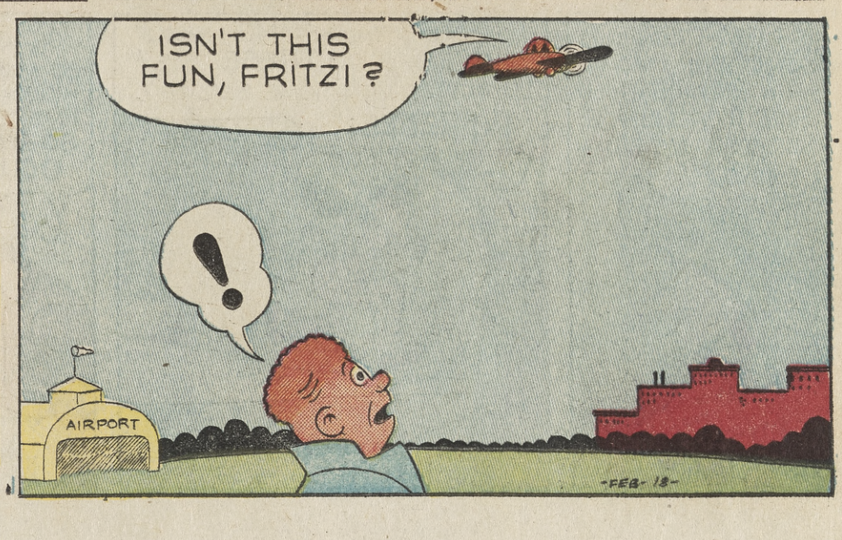

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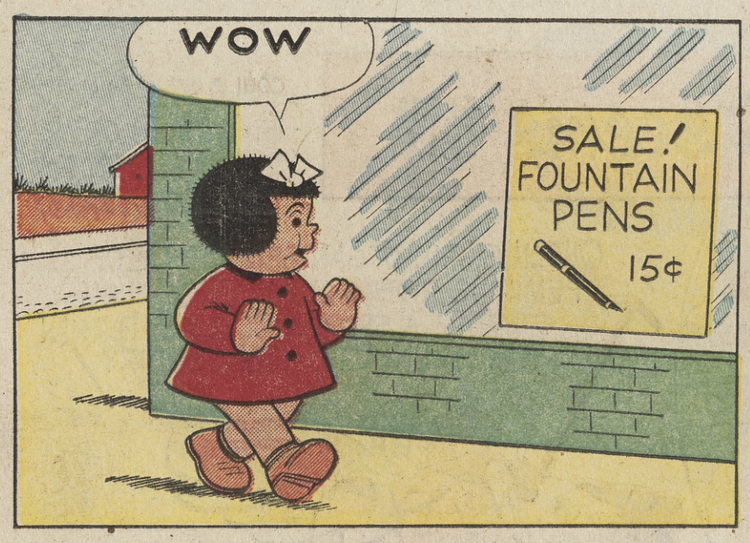

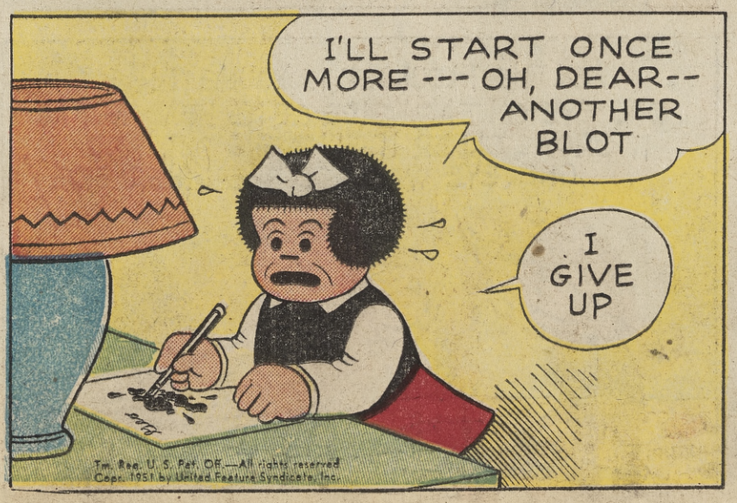
I'LL START ONCE MORE --- OH, DEAR -- ANOTHER BLOT
I GIVE UP
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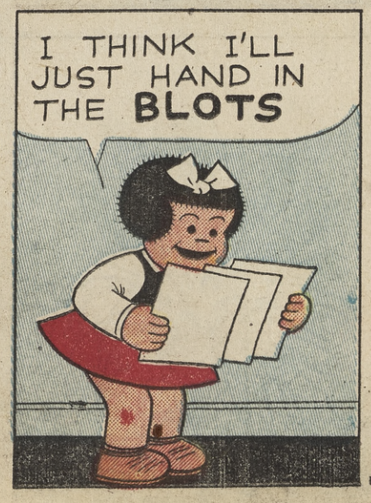

JOE INKS

BY HENRY FORMHALS ®

HOLY SMOKE! HERE IT IS, TH' COLDEST DAY OF TH' WINTER AN' THERE'S A HIGH SCHOOL ART CLASS OUT SKETCHIN'!

HERE I AM—PRACTICALLY FROZEN, AN' ROMEO AN' JULIET THINK IT'S JUNE! AH, YOUNG LOVE!

ICE 'N' SNOW MEAN NOTHIN' T' THOSE COLLEGE TRACK FELLAS! YOU'D THINK THEY'D FREEZE FOR SURE!

IN MY DAY, TH' YOUNG FOLKS USED T' DRESS AS WARM AS POSSIBLE IN WINTER!

IF I WAS T' RUN INTO SOME YOUNG WOMAN IN A BIKINI BATHIN' SUIT IT WOULDN'T SURPRISE ME MU--- GULP!

G-GOLLY! THERE'S NO LIMIT T' WHAT THEY'LL DO THESE DAYS! I'D BETTER RUN HOME BEFORE I F-FREEZE!

JOE, YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN! I'VE THOUGHT FOR SOME TIME YOU SHOULD GO SEE AN OCULIST!

NOTHIN' WRONG WITH MY EYES! I TELL YA I SAW HER!

THERE IT IS—JUST WHERE IT FELL OFF TH' TRUCK! I TOLD YA NOT T' TAKE TH' CORNERS SO FAST!

YEH, YEH, I KNOW! SAY, WHAT TH' HECK'S THAT HANGIN' ON IT?

AJAX CLOTHING DUMMY CO. INC.

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STRANGE as it seems

ELSIE HIX ®

POLO WAS PLAYED BY WOMEN OF THE PERSIAN COURT FOR OVER 1,000 YEARS!

QUEEN SHIRIN ORGANIZED A TEAM OF FEMININE RIDERS IN THE 6TH CENTURY, STARTING A SPORT ENJOYED BY PERSIAN WOMEN UNTIL THE 16TH CENTURY!

DINOSAURS WHICH ROAMED THE EARTH MILLIONS OF YEARS AGO ARE KNOWN BY THEIR FOSSILIZED SKELETONS TO HAVE SUFFERED FROM ARTHRITIS, THE OLDEST CHRONIC DISEASE KNOWN TO MAN!

BULLFROGS ARE PROTECTED BY LAW IN ARIZONA -- WITH A SEASON AND BAG LIMIT SET BY THE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION!

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JOHN QUINCY ADAMS-- *6th President of the U.S.,* WAS ELECTED TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AFTER HE WAS PRESIDENT, AND SERVED FOR 17 YEARS!

BY THE SIMPLE TRICK OF PUTTING A NOTCH IN EITHER ONE OR BOTH EDGES OF A STANDARD DRILL, IT IS POSSIBLE TO DRILL THROUGH METAL UP TO 10 TIMES FASTER!

-Developed by Westinghouse engineers-

OSTRICHES RAISED IN CAPTIVITY GROW FROM HATCHLINGS TO 8 FEET TALL IN TWO YEARS...

-St. Augustine, Fla.-

"PAMPAS GRASS" IS A MISNOMER... IT ACTUALLY GROWS IN MOUNTAINOUS REGIONS!

WHEN THE FLOUNDER IS YOUNG IT HAS ONE EYE ON EACH SIDE OF ITS HEAD, BUT AS IT GROWS OLDER IT FLATTENS OUT, AND ONE EYE MOVES TO THE OTHER SIDE!